



SAINT JOSEPH SHRINE

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ABOUT ST. JOSEPH SHRINE

A magnificent Victorian Gothic edifice completed in 1873 and noted as of national architectural significance, St. Joseph Shrine is a landmark center of Catholic Faith, culture, and community in Detroit's historic Eastern Market district. Since October 2016, the Canons of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest have served and led the local faithful by bringing daily Masses, regular devotions, liturgical instruction, and an active parish life. As a result, the parish community at St. Joseph Shrine continues to grow, enriching both young and old, individuals and families from all backgrounds and neighborhoods.

In July 2013, St. Joseph was merged with two nearby parishes. Then in October 2016, St. Joseph became its own parish under the spiritual and pastoral care of the Institute of Christ the King. **In March 2020, the Parish was granted the designation of Archdiocesan Shrine** in recognition of its vibrant spiritual growth and daily life.

Regular Schedule

Sundays 7:00 AM Low Mass, 9:00 AM Low Mass, 11:00 AM High Mass, 6:00 PM Vespers & Benediction

Weekdays 8:00 AM Low Mass & 7:00 PM Low Mass *except Wednesdays*

Wednesday 12:00 PM Low Mass w/Organ and Motets & Perpetual Novena to St. Joseph

Friday 6:00 PM Holy Hour

First Friday 7:00 PM High Mass

Saturday 9:00 AM Low Mass & Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Confessions 30 minutes before every weekday Mass; Sundays 6-6:50 AM, 8-8:50 AM & 10-10:50 AM

Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, April 18, Second Sunday after Easter, Good Shepherd Sunday

7AM Low Mass **The Sheas**, requested by *Lady Rivera*
9AM Low Mass w/ organ † **Eamon Gaughan**, requested by *Agnes Gaughan*
11AM High Mass **Pro Populo**
6:00PM Sung Vespers & Benediction

Monday, April 19, Feria, Votive Mass of Saint Joseph

8AM Low Mass † **Dhia Babbie**, requested by *Ban Francis*
7PM Low Mass **Ronald Mazyck**, requested by *Rick Mazyck*

Tuesday, April 20, Feria, Votive Mass of the Angels

8AM Low Mass **Anne & Rusty Heenan**, requested by *Claire Chase*
7PM Low Mass **Curtis Voeltner**

Wednesday, April 21, Saint Anselm, Bishop, Confessor, & Doctor

12 Noon Low Mass & Novena Devotions **St. Joseph Confraternity**

Thursday, April 22, Saints Soterius & Caius, Popes & Martyrs

8AM Low Mass † **Anita Fredal**, requested by *family*
7PM Low Mass **Alicia Benefiel**, requested by *Jonathan Benefiel*

Friday, April 23, Feria, Mass of Saint George, Martyr

8AM Low Mass † **Carol Deutschendorf**, requested by *Dianne Fessler-Mulligan*
7PM Low Mass **Holy Souls in Purgatory**

Saturday, April 24, Saint Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Martyr

9AM Low Mass with Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotions
Thanksgiving & Perseverance, requested by *M. Laabs*

Sunday, April 25, Third Sunday after Easter

7AM Low Mass **Canon Michael Stein**, requested by *Jonathan Benefiel*
9AM Low Mass w/ organ † **Maria Lombardi**, requested by *Ban Francis*
11AM High Mass **Pro Populo**
6:00PM Sung Vespers & Benediction

FROM THE RECTOR, CANON MICHAEL STEIN

Dear Shrine Faithful,

After today's Masses you are invited to the Social Hall where there will be an exhibition from 10am-2pm of European Antique Lace, some of which is Ecclesiastical Lace.

There will be Chapel Veils, handmade at The Lace Museum Detroit, as well as cards and smaller pieces of antique lace for sale.

Thank you, Mary Salmon, for providing us with this opportunity.

Attention! Today, Good Shepherd Sunday, April 18th, the Second Collection is for the Seminary of the Institute of Christ the King. Please support the formation of your dedicated future priests. Thank you! *Ite ad Joseph!*

Server Schedule

Sunday, April 25, Third after Easter

7AM Low Mass
AC1: Mattius Escareño
AC2: Apolinar Escareño
9AM Low Mass w/organ
AC1: Maximillian Skinner
AC2: Patrick Skinner
11AM High Mass
MC: John Simonson
Thur: Nicholas Alvarez
AC1: Isaac Smith
AC2: Luke Chisholm
Crucifer: Patrick Ohotnicky

Saturday, May 1,

St. Joseph the Worker

9AM Low Mass w/organ
as available

11AM High Mass

MC: Patrick Ohotnicky
Thur: Eric Kash
AC1: Apolinar Escareño
AC2: Gabriel Ang
Crucifer: James Chisholm

Usher Schedule

Sunday, April 25, Third after Easter

7AM Low Mass - Laabs
9AM Low Mass w/organ
- Paul Ferrini
- Eric Restuccia
- Joe Allen
11AM High Mass
- Ismael Lebron
- Anthony Russo
- Steve Graham
- Jonathan Benefiel
- Richard Lewandowski, Jr.

Saturday, May 1, St Joseph the Worker

9AM Low Mass w/organ
as available

11AM High Mass

- Ismael Lebron
- Paul Ferrini
- Anthony Russo
- Jonathan Benefiel
- Matt Langenderfer

Prayer to St. Joseph by St. Francis de Sales

Historic Renewal Campaign Prayer

Glorious St. Joseph, spouse of Mary, grant us thy paternal protection, we beseech thee by the heart of Jesus Christ. O thou, whose power extends to all our necessities and can render possible for us the most impossible things, open thy fatherly eyes to the needs of thy children. In the trouble and distress which afflicts us, we confidently have recourse to thee. Deign to take under thy charitable charge this important and difficult matter, cause of our worries. Make its happy outcome be for God's glory and for the good of His devoted servants. Amen.

GRANT UPDATE

In the Month of St. Joseph we reached the matching target of \$500,000 to secure the \$250,000 grant from the National Fund for Sacred Places! On May 1st, feast of St. Joseph the Worker, I will give you a larger stonework and funding status report. *Ite ad Joseph!*

Rules & Reminders from the Rector

Dear Faithful,

As we continue to grow in numbers, it is necessary that I remind you all of the following important rules regarding the Social Hall and Church:

- It is strictly forbidden to place cards, announcements, posters, booklets, devotions, brochures, etc. for public display/offering without the explicit permission of the Rector. This permission is never to be presumed.

- Access to the choir loft is strictly forbidden to all non choir/schola members. Explicit permission from the Rector or Music Director must be given and is never presumed. We are asking the Ushers to be particularly vigilant in this matter moving forward.

SAINT JOSEPH CONFRATERNITY ENROLLMENT

Enroll your loved ones in the *Saint Joseph Confraternity* for one year of Masses said at 12 noon every Wednesday (52 Masses). All intentions given now will be said until March 19 next year. **Mass cards available in office.** Enrollment forms available online on Shrine website and in the vestibule.

Calendar of Events

Today! April 18, Good Shepherd Sunday, Second Collection in support of the seminary of the Institute, Confirmation Class after 11am Mass.

Wednesday, April 21, Teenage Catechism in Social Hall at 7PM.

Sunday, April 25, First Communion Exams (Round 1) in Rectory Basement after 11AM Mass.

Wednesday, April 28, Children's Catechism in Rectory Basement classroom at 7PM.

Saturday, May 1, Feast of Saint Joseph the Worker. 9AM Low Mass and 11AM High Mass Plenary indulgence available. Renewal of Parish Consecration to Saint Joseph.

Sunday, May 2, First Communion Exams (Round 2) in Rectory Basement after 11AM Mass.

Wednesday, May 5, Teenage Catechism in Social Hall at 7PM Mass.

Sunday, May 9, May Crowning, First Communion, and Outdoor Rosary Procession at 11AM Mass.

Wednesday, May 12, Children's Catechism in Rectory Basement classroom at 7PM.

Sunday, May 16, Lesson in Liturgy after 11am Mass

Wednesday, May 19, Teenage Catechism in Social Hall at 7PM. *Last class of the school year, then catechism party June 2nd!!*

TAKE NOTE OF OUR SOCIAL MEDIA ADDRESSES!

Follow us on social media:  /StJosephShrineD  @StJosephShrineD  @StJosephShrineD

Welcome to St. Joseph Shrine!

What's available at the Shrine:

First Friday: Sung **Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart** at 7PM with themed homily.

First Saturday: Morning of Recollection - Conference followed by Rosary and Benediction.

2nd Saturday of the Month: Sursum Corda young adult event. Conference at Noon in Social Hall followed by outing or service activity. See: StJosephShrineD.org for schedule.

3rd Friday of the Month: Getting Acquainted with Aquinas in Social Hall after 6pm Holy Hour & 7pm Mass in the Church, followed by buffet dinner. See: StJosephShrineD.org for schedule.

Sundays on rotation: Sacramental Catechism classes for *First Communion* and *Confirmation* in Rectory basement classroom, & *Lessons in the Liturgy* for all in the Social Hall.

Wednesdays on rotation: Catechism classes for *Teenagers* (1st & 3rd) and *Children* (2nd & 4th) at 7PM in Social Hall or Rectory basement classroom.

- **Men of St. Joseph Volunteer Group**
- **Helpers of the Holy Family Volunteer Group**
- **Gardening Angels Volunteer Group**
- **Altar Boys, Schola, Cappella, Ushers**
- **Food Pantry**
- **Patrons Book Club**

St Vincent de Paul Society St. Joseph Food Pantry

Our monthly food pantry distribution is now twice a month. On the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month from 10am to Noon we distribute groceries to almost 100 local households in need. We operate out of the parish's 2nd house on Antietam (albeit in need of numerous repairs). Your generosity, whether by donations, food drop-offs, house improvements, or volunteer hours, enables us to increase our service to multiple times a month. To help, please contact Eric Restuccia at (734) 417-1583.

FLOCKNOTE SIGN-UP

Stay connected with the Shrine with our communication tool, **Flocknote**. Along with email, it also offers text and phone messages.

Not on our mailing list? You can *sign up online* at <https://StJosephShrine.flocknote.com/MailingList> or *text MailingList* to 84576.

Rotation of Sunday Devotions at the Shrine

1st Sunday of the Month: Men of Saint Joseph. Devotions to their patron at his Side Altar.

2nd Sunday of the Month: Holy Name Society Devotions. Pledge made after Mass at Main Altar.

3rd Sunday of the Month: Helpers of the Holy Family. Devotions at the Altar of Our Lady.

Faithful/Obedient Giving = Precept of the Church (Operating Fund)

Generous Giving = Historic Renewal Campaign (Restoration Fund)

Heroic Giving = Sacrifice (How all of Christendom was built)

St. Joseph Shrine Sacrament Information:

Infant Baptism: Parents requesting Baptism must be active registered members of the Shrine.

First Communion and Confirmation: Children must attend the sacramental catechism classes at the Shrine.

Holy Matrimony: Couples planning to marry at the Shrine must call the Rectory for the proper instructions.

Anointing of the Sick: Members facing surgery, serious illness, or even death may call (313) 784-9152. *Never wait, never hesitate... remember: physical healing can also be an effect of the sacrament. Don't deprive a loved one of God's help.*